U.S. DEPARTMENT OF PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE ATTORNE DECEMBER 10 . 2 2 DEC 2004 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known) 518851 DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PCT/DE 2003/001563 May 15, 2003 June 28, 2002 TITLE OF THE INVENTION Spiraling Arrangement APPLLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Markus Berger, Rainer Oehl and Klaus Binder Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. DED This is the FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. This is the SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). 4. The US has been elected (Article 31). 5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). a. 🔯 has been transmitted by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). C. 6. A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) 7. — Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). a. - 🗖 b. 🗆 have been transmitted by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. c. 🗆 have not been made and will not be made. 8. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included: 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. 14. A substitute specification.

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16. Other items or information:

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1. One (1) sheet(s) of drawing.

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U.S. APPLICATIONAIC (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER PCT/DE 2003/001563 202-061 Applicant use Office use only 21. The following fees are submitted: X a) Basic national fee......\$300.00 300.00 200.00 b) Examination fee......\$200.00 X c) Search fee......\$500.00 500,00 s 1,000.00 TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. Total Sheets Extra sheets Number of each additional 50 or fraction RATE thereof (round up to a whole number) /50 = x \$250.00 - 100 = 11 . 0 0 Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest \$ claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). **NUMBER EXTRA** RATE \$ CLAIMS NUMBER FILED 13 0 0 \$ - 20 = x \$50.00 Total claims Independent claims 1 - 3 = 0 \$200.00 \$ 0 MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) \$360.00 \$ **TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =** \$ 1.000.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2. \$1.000.00 Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest \$ claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = 1,000.00 Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied \$ by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = .000.00Amount to be refunded: Amount to be charged _ to cover the above fees is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$_ in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. Please charge my Deposit Account No. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0773. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. c. LX Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status. SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Walter Ottesen Patent Attorney Walter Ottesen P.O. Box 4026 Gaithersburg, MD 20885-4026 NAME 25,544 REGISTRATION NUMBER